

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO  
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
CEDAR - 42638

In Re Application Of: Levesque et al.

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Serial No. 09/488,491	Filing Date January 20, 2000	Examiner Schmidt, M.	Group Art Unit 1635
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Invention:

TRANSDIFFERENTIATION OF EPIDERMAL BASAL CELLS INTO  
NEURAL PROGENITOR CELLS, NEURONAL CELLS AND/OR GLIAL CELLS

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated August 14, 2001 finally rejecting Claim(s)

Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

A verified statement of small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27:

- is enclosed.
- has already been filed in this application.

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- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1597  
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